



2nd Annual
ATHLETIC BANQUET
ROXBURY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Tuesday, May 24, 1977
SHERATON-BOSTON HOTEL
Boston, Massachusetts
7:30 P.M.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

By His Excellency

MICHAEL S. DUKAKIS

Governor

A P R O C L A M A T I O N

1977

- WHEREAS: For the second consecutive year, the Roxbury Community College Female Basketball Team has represented New England in the National Championship Tournament in Overland Park, Kansas; and
- WHEREAS: This year the Roxbury Community College Team was extremely talented and amassed a record of 25-0; and
- WHEREAS: This year the Roxbury Community College Team further distinguished itself by having an all-American nominee and three All-New England squad members; and
- WHEREAS: Each player who participated in the games exhibited a high degree of sportsmanship by her conduct on and off the court; and
- WHEREAS: As a result of these accomplishments they have earned well deserved praise for themselves, their college, their coaches, their community and the Commonwealth;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, MICHAEL S. DUKAKIS, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim April 8, 1977, as

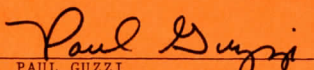
ROXBURY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DAY

and urge the citizens of the Commonwealth to take cognizance of this event and to participate fittingly in its observance.

Given at the Executive Chamber in Boston, this fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and first.

By His Excellency the Governor

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The trophies, two plaques and certificate pictured on the front cover represent awards presented to the Express and Expressettes for division, state and regional championships and national tournament play.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As Roxbury Community College prepares to observe the completion of its fourth academic year, we proudly reflect on our accomplishments. Notably our progress in the academics has been complemented by outstanding achievement in athletics.

Our athletes —phenomenal during the first basketball season — served us an encore of championship trophies this season. The female team won their division and state championships, retained the New England Regional Championship, and again traveled to the National Tournament in Kansas as the undefeated representatives of New England. We are among the top ten in the nation and have representation on the All-American Team. Our male team is number 2 in the state and won the consolation trophy at a New York State holiday tournament.

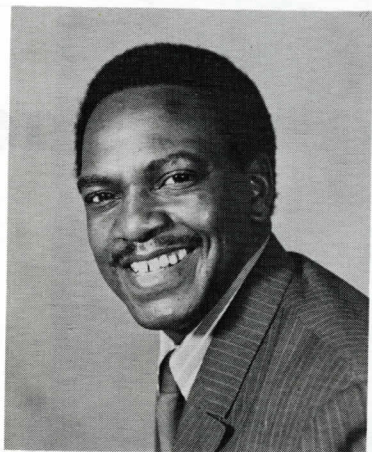
We are proud of our athletes for another year of high achievement and on behalf of the Roxbury Community College family, we thank you for supporting us as we “climb every mountain.”

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Clarence "Jeep" Jones, born in Roxbury, Massachusetts, graduated from high school at Brandeis Vocational. After completing high school he entered Winston-Salem State University where he received his degree in Elementary Education. After serving two years in the United States Army, "Jeep" attended Goddard College and obtained his M.A. in Social Change. He currently serves as Deputy Mayor of the City of Boston.

"Jeep's" community involvement includes Trustee of Twelfth Baptist Church, President of the Winston-Salem State University Alumni Association, member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Executive Board of Directors of Roxbury Boys' Club; Advisory Board of W.C.V.B.-TV Channel 5 Boston; Chairman, Board of Directors Boys' Clubs of Boston Board of Overseers Boys' Clubs of Boston; Board of Directors Roxbury Federation of Neighborhood Houses; and Advisory Board of Massachusetts Department of Mental Health; Advisory Board of Radio Station WILD.

Some past affiliations consists of Chairman of the Winston-Salem State University Development Fund; Board of Directors Metropolitan Boston YMCAs; City of Boston Liaison to Boy Scouts of America; Board of Directors Roxbury YMCA; President of the Association for Better Living; Board of Directors Boston Children Services Association and Board of Directors Roxbury Ecumenical Center.

Not only is Mr. Jones involved in the community, but he too is a part of the political scene. His political involvement has included being on the Advisory Board-Office of Justice Administration. Worked as Coordinator in Governor, Mayor and State Representative races. Currently serves as Chairman of Ward Nine Committee.

Along with his community and political involvement, Mr. Jones has started such programs as Mission Hill Extension Civic Association; Mission Hill Extension Playroom 81; Whittier Street Tot-Lot; and College Follow-Up Program.

Just as Mr. Jones' achievements are many, so are his awards. Some of these include: 1974 Spanish Drug Center Community Participation Award; 1974 Secretary of State Community Recognition Award; 1973 Chinese Knights Appreciation Award; 1972 Golden Basketball Award, Coca Cola of Boston Neighborhood Basketball League; 1972 Roxbury Medical Technical Institute Service Award.

NJCAA Womens Nationals at JCCC

Unbeaten Roxbury and Hutchinson roll on

Roxbury Community College of Boston continued on its unbeaten streak with a 69-55 second round victory over Essex Community College last night in the National Womens Junior College Championship.

The tourney, hosted by Johnson County Community College, is a summit meeting of twenty-two of the top junior college womens teams from across the nation. At stake is undisputed claim of the number one ranking in the country.

That will be decided this Saturday night at 9p.m. when the final round breaks loose.

Tuesday night, Roxbury used the second half scoring touch of Carolyn Lewis, who scored a game high 23 points, to overcome Essex and a 32-26 halftime deficit. Lewis scored 18 of her total in the second half.

Roxbury came into the tournament with a perfect 25-0 record and with the victory last night, moved it to 27-0. They had previously whipped the University of North Dakota, Williston, in a first round game.

Janet Flora of Essex led the Knights in scoring with 12. Grace Cover followed with 10. Essex, from Baltimore, came into the tourney with a 22-3 record.

In other second round games Tuesday, undefeated Hutchinson had to come from behind to squeeze by Morfde Community College of Rochester, New York, to post a 51-47 victory in their afternoon game. Kathy Patterson and Jeanne Martin both tallied 14 points apiece to lead the Blue Dragons, now 24-0, to victory.



'Now listen good....'

Players for Roxbury Community College of Boston listen carefully as their coach issues instructions during action of the National Womens Junior College Basketball Championship at JCCC. The tournament runs through Saturday night.

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Standing (left to right) David Hutchinson, General Walton, Jimmy Clyde, Asberry Richmond, Joe Pitts, Tim Adams, Willie Edwards. Kneeling, Edwin Slater, Ray Banks, Tom Mosley, Henry Malbranch, Laurcean Henderson. — Team Record: 55 wins 14 lost.



ROXBURY COMMUNITY COLLEGE EXPRESSETTES

Standing (left to right) Leon Clayton (Assistant Coach) Cheryl Lewis, Susan Summons, Jennifer Webb, Carmen Green, Lisa Johnson, Carolyn Lewis, Alfreda Harris, (Head Coach), Kneeling: Rosetta Angelo, Marcia Williams, Cheri Webb, Valerie Terry.

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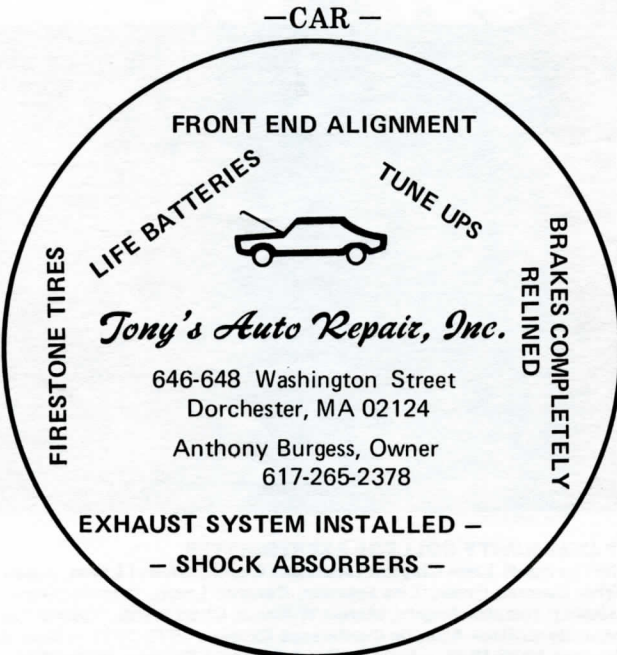
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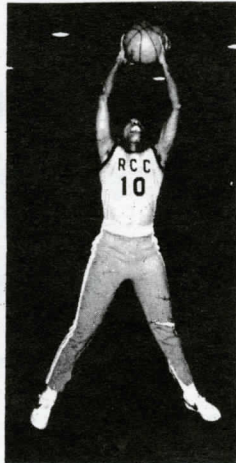
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On the basis of the Expressettes performance over the past two years, Governor Dukakis signed a proclamation last Friday declaring April 8, 1977 as Roxbury Community College Day. (Pictured above left to right) Marcia Williams who was chosen as All-American and All-Regional, Carolyn Lewis as All-Regional and Susan Summons as All American and All-Regional of the 76-77 basketball season.

(Photos courtesy of Student Activities)

Roxbury JC girls gain hoop semis

WARWICK — Mitchell Junior College of New London and Roxbury Community College, the No. 1 seed, advanced to the semifinals of the New England Junior College Women's Basketball Tournament with victories yesterday at R.I. Junior College's Knight Campus.

Mitchell, pulling away in the final two minutes, downed Mattatuck CC of Waterbury, 57-46. Roxbury led all the way in notching its 22nd victory of the season, downing Greenfield, Mass., CC, 62-28.

Barbara Iverson was the leader for the Mitchell club, scoring 32 points. Tami Chapman was the Mattatuck leader with 18.

Roxbury jumped into a commanding lead in the second game and coasted to the victory. Carolyn Lewis, Marsha Williams and

Sue Summons were the Roxbury standouts.

The semifinals are set for this afternoon. Massasoit plays Leicester Junior College at 2 o'clock and Roxbury plays Mitchell at 4. The final is scheduled for tomorrow night at 7 as the opener of a doubleheader that includes the championship game of the men's tourney.

MITCHELL JC (57): Campbell 5-0-10, Deagan 0-0-0, Moni 0-0-0, Iverson 11-10-32, Higgins 1-0-2, Maddigan 1-0-2, Warner 5-1-11, Pell 0-0-0, Rohan 0-0-0; totals 23-11-57. **MATTATUCK CC** (46): Perugini 5-0-10, McKenny 0-0-0, Rilling 0-0-0, Mango 4-0-8, Sirolis 1-0-2, Kennedy 4-0-8, Kaletta 0-0-0, Vitale 0-0-0, Chapman 7-4-18, Ochs 0-0-0, Ruccio 0-0-0; totals 21-4-46. Halftime, Mitchell 21-18.

ROXBURY CC (62): Johnson 0-0-0, Carolyn Lewis 5-0-10, Marsha Williams 8-0-16, Cheryl Lewis 0-0-0, J. Webb 3-2-8, A. Williams 0-0-0, C. Webb 0-0-0, Terrv 1-0-2, Summons 8-2-18, Angelo 4-0-8, Green 0-0-0; totals 29-4-62. **GREENFIELD CC** (28): Giguere 4-0-8, Paterno 1-0-2, Jackson 0-0-0, Hovnoski 1-0-2, Lisbon 2-0-4, Reitter 0-0-0, Brockelman 3-0-6, Lotland 0-0-0, Poulin 2-0-4, Murphy 1-0-2; totals 14-0-28. Halftime, 24-12.

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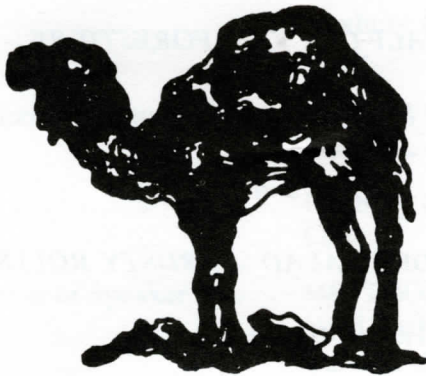
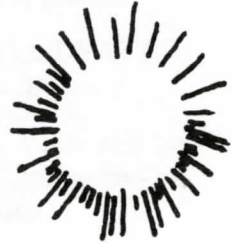
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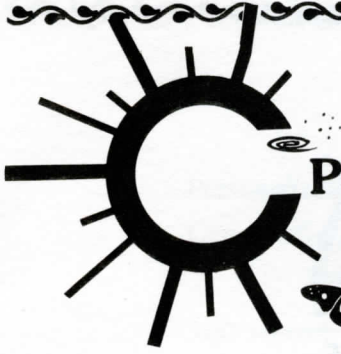
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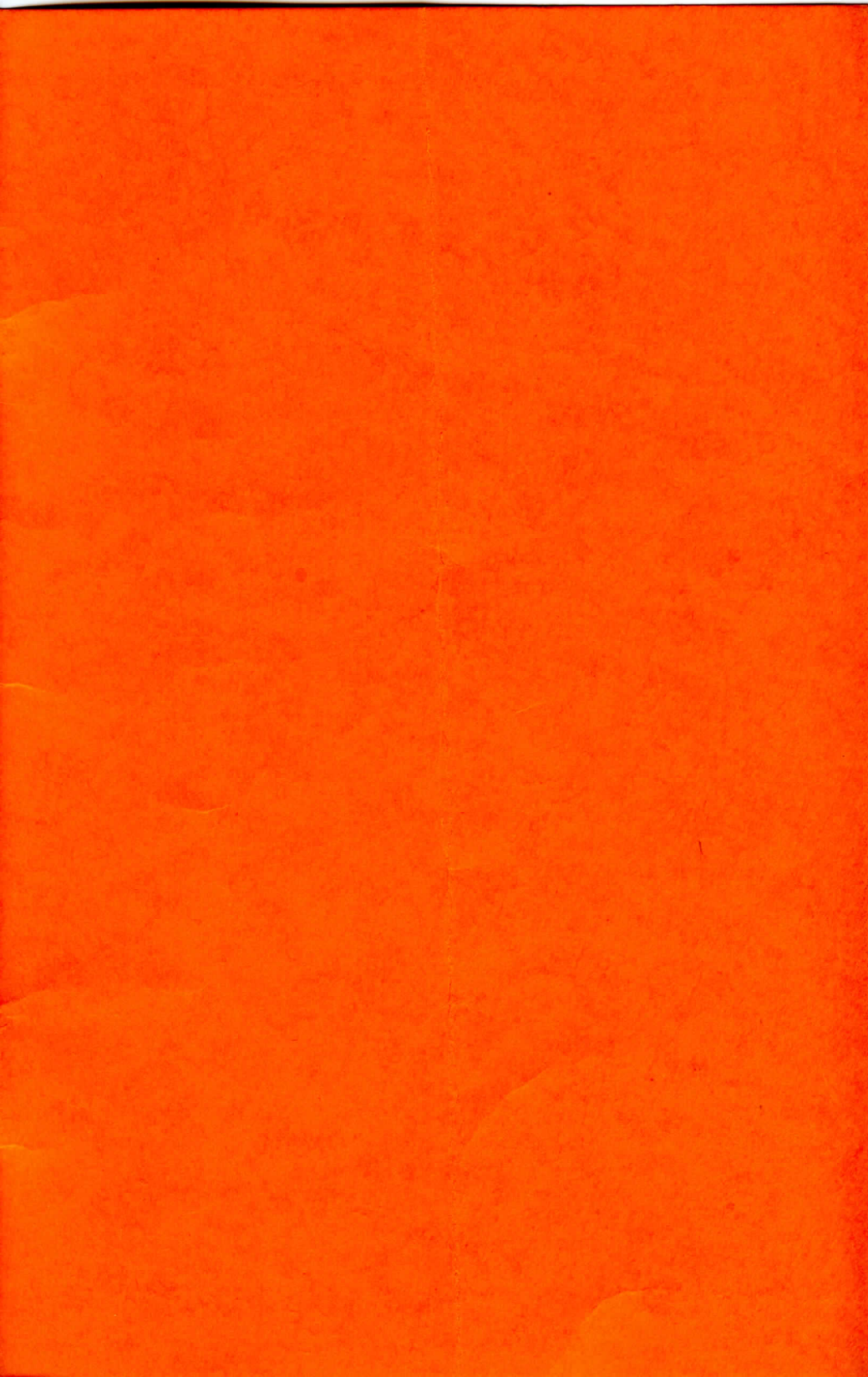




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